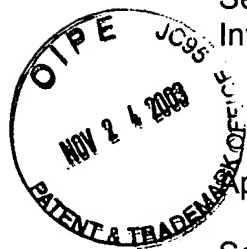


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed on June 25, 2003. A three - month period was set for response. The Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner and requests a two (2) month Extension of Time, and herewith submits the appropriate fee. The Extension of Time extends the period for response until November 25, 2003. The Applicant hereby requests reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.